PROCESSING ACTION CLASSIFICATION DISPATCH SECRET MARKED FOR INDEXING CHIEF OF STATION, GERMANY NO INDEXINO REQUIRED INFO. ONLY QUALIFIED DESK CHIEF, EUR CAN JUDGE INDEXING FROM CHIEF, MUNICH LIAISON BASE SUBJECT CATUSK/CI/CE CATUSK BUDGET - UTILITY'S TRIP?

ACTION - FOR INFORMATION

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1. FROM ALIAS BERNHARDT I HAS ELICITED THAT THE BUDGET CUT MENTIONED IN THE REFERENCE IS A TEMPORARY GOVT-WIDE MEASURE. I HAS LEARNED FROM ALIAS KUEHNE THAT CONSEQUENTLY CATUSK TRAVEL IS TO BE STOPPED FOR THREE MONTHS. THIS MAY MEAN THAT UTILITY MAY FEEL HE CANNOT VISIT WOFACT.

BERNHARDT SAID EXPENDITURES MAY CONTINUE ON A SOMEWHAT SIMILAR SCHEME TO THE MONTHLY ONE WE USE WHEN FUNDS HAVE NOT YET BEEN APPROPRIATED, WITH THE ADDED PROVISO THAT THE MONTHLY SPENDING TAKE PLACE AT 25 PERCENT LESS THAN THE YEAR BEFORE. FIXED COSTS ARE TO BE PAID, BUT OTHER EXPENDITURES ARE TO BE SCRUTINIZED VERY CAREFULLY. IN THIS CATEGORY FALL SUCH THINGS AS TRAVEL AND ESPECIALLY OVERSEAS EXPENDITURES. WE WILL TRY TO SEE IF THERE IS ANY FURTHER INFORMATION TO BE ELICITED ON THIS MATTER INSOFAR AS IT APPLIES TO CATUSK.

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